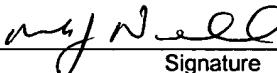


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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>FY 2005</b> (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional)  3798-0108P	
Application Number	10/765,063-Conf. #009466	Filed  January 28, 2004	
For QUANTITATIVE BINDING ASSAYS USING GREEN FLUORESCENT PROTEIN AS A LABEL			
Art Unit	1641	Examiner  L. V. Cook	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))		\$120	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))		\$450	\$225
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))		\$1020	\$510
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))		\$1590	\$795
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))		\$2160	\$1080
		\$ 1,080.00	
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>02-2448</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p>			
<p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 <u>36,623</u></p>			
 Signature		August 5, 2005	
Mark J. Nuell, Ph.D. Typed or printed name		(703) 205-8000 Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.			

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